



THE LEADER IN SECURITY OPERATIONS

Proposal
Overview for:



DEFINING EXCELLENCE

END CYBER RISK

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Arctic Wolf Security Operations-as-a-Service

Current State Challenges

The cybersecurity industry has an effectiveness problem. Every year new technologies, vendors, and solutions emerge, and yet despite this constant innovation we continue to see high profile breaches in the headlines. All organizations know they need better security, but the dizzying array of options leaves resource-constrained IT and security leaders wondering how to proceed. Arctic Wolf's point of view is that organizations need to do three core things to finally get the security effectiveness they've been looking for:

Keys to Closing the Gap

01

Optimize your existing IT and security controls for better prevention, and then send all telemetry to a cloud platform for storage, enrichment, and analysis.

02

Add external expertise to establish 24x7 monitoring, threat hunting, and triage so that you can quickly identify and respond to advanced threats, critical vulnerabilities, and lurking misconfigurations.

03

Continually review your cybersecurity posture and work with experts who know your environment well enough to recommend strategic actions that will make it stronger.

Taking these three steps will deliver the security effectiveness that organizations are seeking. Key to this effectiveness is the injection of human expertise into the process. One of the reasons cybersecurity is so hard is because the attackers are smart, capable humans who can adapt to technology enhancements implemented by defenders. As a result, the winning strategy for defenders must also include a human element. Finding the right way to add this human element, however, has been a major challenge for the industry.

Executive Summary

Strategic Initiative: *Enhance Security and Visibility*

Challenge

- ISD 273’s in-house security team is extremely constrained and is not able to monitor their environment, all while keeping security related projects moving forward to improve on the organization's security posture.
- Today ISD 273 has Splunk implemented as a SIEM but it’s not capturing all logs and is burdensome to maintain and tune. Most importantly, Adam is the only person with any expertise making the ability to monitor and detect threats 24x7x365 impossible.
- ISD 273 utilizes multiple security tools and would benefit from strategic services to identify overlap and opportunities to improve on security posture.
- **Key Drivers:** Holistic Visibility, Faster Intrusion Detection, Team Enhancement, Compliance Attestation

Desired Outcome

- Full-functioning cloud-integrated SOC service that can leverage existing security tools to provide visibility, monitoring, response and remediation of all security events and incidents.
- True 24X7X365 eyes on glass coverage with containment ability throughout the night.
- Improve mean time to detection and implement faster incident response. Partnership should be able to contain network flow and/or devices for the customer.
- Deliver additional compliance efficiencies and provide reporting to back compliance attestation.
- Streamline operations so that the overall risk profile is better managed and reduced.
- Create a partnership that will raise security profile and fill as many gaps as possible – strategic guidance, planning, benchmarking, and up to date threat awareness.

Proposed Solution

- Replace Splunk and stand-up Arctic Wolf which provides a fully managed SIEM and service focused on detection and incident response.
- **Implement Arctic Wolf Managed Detection and Response**
 - 24X7X365 Coverage
 - Fully managed & hosted SIEM
 - Gain broad visibility across endpoints, network and cloud – **Unlimited** log ingestion
 - Vendor neutral provider that does not force **lock-in** behavior allowing customers to choose the best-of bread security tools.
 - **Unlimited** Access to security professionals complimented by named resources and a personalized white glove service.

What we've heard from your team

Current Challenges

1. ISD 273 has a very lean IT team yet a wide array of responsibilities to support the entire school. Currently, Adam is the only person with any expertise managing Splunk and therefore doesn't have the bandwidth to operationalize it 24x7x365 on top of his other duties. It is not realistic for ISD 273 to build out their own SOC as it would take multiple hires and hundreds of thousands of dollars invested into additional security tools.
2. ISD 273 has existing identity, cloud, endpoint, and network security tools in place today and desires additional seasoned security professionals to augment team with threat triage, correlation, analysis, strategic guidance, unlimited customized tuning with environmental hardening and continuous security improvement.
3. Interest in human-led, proactive threat hunting over basic "alert-response" and typical operational-level managed services.

Negative Impact on Business Initiative

1. Massive risk to the district's reputation which would ultimately result in a loss to enrollment from Cyber attack and/or inability to prevent, detect, respond and remediate quickly.
2. Reactive response to current security concerns is a distraction to already burdened staff and existing security initiatives and projects.
3. Inability to identify dormant vulnerabilities and threats in existing environment across all attack surfaces creates a larger risk with potential negative system impact.





Why Arctic Wolf

Arctic Wolf Overview

Arctic Wolf® is the market leader in security operations. Using the cloud-native Arctic Wolf® Platform, we provide security operations as a concierge service. Highly trained Concierge Security® experts work as an extension of your team to provide 24x7 monitoring, detection, and response, as well as ongoing risk management to proactively protect systems and data while continually strengthening your security posture.

The cybersecurity industry has an **effectiveness** problem.

3,000 Vendors	\$120B Total Spend	3,950 Reported Breaches
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About Arctic Wolf

2012 Founded	1,900+ Employees	3,500+ Customers
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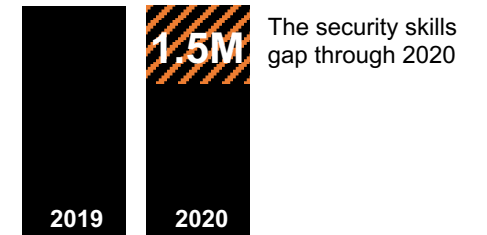
Industry Cybersecurity Challenges



Source: 2019 Ponemon Cost of Data Breach Incident Report



Source: Gartner



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Audit/Compliance Drivers

PCI DSS FFIEC-NCUA HIPAA NIST 800-171 23 NYCRR 500

Better Protection Against All Attack Types

Dwell Time 0:30 Industry average time to identify an intrusion is 206 days. Arctic Wolf does it in 30 minutes or less.	Phishing 18% Of customers have phishing activity that is missed by email security but caught by Arctic Wolf	Advanced Threats 43% Of customers have advanced threat activity being missed by security tools but caught by Arctic Wolf	Account Takeover 70% Of customers have some PII exposure and 5.5% have plaintext passwords exposed online	Unpatched Vulnerabilities 35% Reduction in time to patch critical vulnerabilities after activating Arctic Wolf
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Arctic Wolf Helps Detect and Respond to the Top 5 Attack Vectors:

- Malware/Ransomware
- Phishing
- PUP Adware
- Account Hijacking
- Unpatched Outdated Software



**MINNESOTA IS NOW HOME
TO THE LEADER IN
SECURITY OPERATIONS**

Four North American SOC's

Eden Prairie, MN | San Antonio, TX

Provo, UT | Waterloo, ON

European SOC

Frankfurt, Germany



- **3,500+ Customers**
 - 260+ of which are in MN
 - Several Lake Conference schools are already customers
- **2000+ Employees**
 - 460+ located at Eden Prairie HQ
 - Local Executive Leadership Team
 - World Class SOC and Executive Briefing Center at HQ
 - Professional Svcs / Onboarding Team



Arctic Wolf Platform

**MANAGED DETECTION
AND RESPONSE**



**MANAGED
RISK**



**MANAGED CLOUD
MONITORING**



**MANAGED SECURITY
AWARENESS**



CONCIERGE SECURITY® TEAM

ARCTIC WOLF® PLATFORM

We deliver services across the entire **Security Operations framework**

A team of assigned security experts who learn your organization and continually optimize your security posture for your environment

Centralize all data in our cloud-native security analytics platform for 24/7 storage, enrichment, correlation, analysis and investigation

Leverage your existing technology stack to gain broad visibility across attack surfaces: endpoint, network, cloud, identity & human



Security Operations at Scale

2+

Trillion events
per week

2.5+

Petabytes
processed/week

>1.3M

AW active agents
and 12,500 sensors

10 YRS

Of development / SOC2
Type and ISO 27000

60+

Security stack
integrations

>700K

Tailored reports created
for >3k customers

83%

Of tickets come
from AW detections

UNMATCHED POWER

ARCTIC WOLF® PLATFORM

UNIQUE PRECISION

1 Ticket

Per day on average

99.9%

True positives

Single

View into your
security stack



Reducing the Impact and Likelihood of Cyber Risk

DWELL TIME

0:30

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TIME OF ATTACKS

35%

Threats that were detected after 8PM and before 8AM by Arctic Wolf

ADVANCED THREATS

43%

Of customers have advanced threat activity being missed by security tools but caught by Arctic Wolf

ACCOUNT TAKEOVER

70%

Of customers have some PII exposure and 5.5% have plaintext passwords exposed online

UNPATCHED VULNERABILITIES

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PHISHING

18%

Of customers have phishing activity that is missed by email security but caught by Arctic Wolf



Arctic Wolf Service Offerings



Managed Detection and Response

The purpose of this solution is to help you defend against advanced threats that bypass prevention tools. We fundamentally believe that you can't have protection if you don't have detection first.

Detect

Leverage your existing tech stack to identify advanced network, endpoint, and cloud threats

Respond

24x7 coverage and guided response stops threats before they can do harm

Recover

Find root cause, validate remediation, and collaborate to continuously improve your overall security posture

70% of new customer environments have latent threats



Managed Cloud Monitoring

This solution extends our MDR and Managed Risk capabilities to the cloud, identifying misconfigurations and other vulnerabilities, and monitoring for attacks and account compromises in progress.

Identify

Identify exposed cloud platforms and accounts to understand risks, such as unsecured S3 buckets and unauthorized cloud deployments

Monitor

Monitor IaaS services for configuration risks, and SaaS apps for key threats and indicators of compromise

Simplify

Streamline cloud security with cloud experts plus concierge deployment and management

47% of the incidents we detect include a cloud component



Managed Risk

Managed Risk is designed to help you prevent incidents in the first place. We know this capability is badly needed because the Center for Internet Security says that 80% of breaches could have been prevented if the organization had met the top 5 CIS controls.

Discover

Identify and categorize risky software, assets, and accounts

Benchmark

Understand your current digital risk posture and identify gaps relative to best practices

Harden

Know when you're exposed and prioritize security posture improvements

80% of threats can be prevented by meeting the top 5 CIS controls



Managed Security Awareness

End the cyber risk of social engineering attacks and human error by preparing every employee to be an active participant in your security posture and strengthen your cyber resilience.

Engage

Educate and prepare employees to stop social engineering attacks, like phishing.

Measure

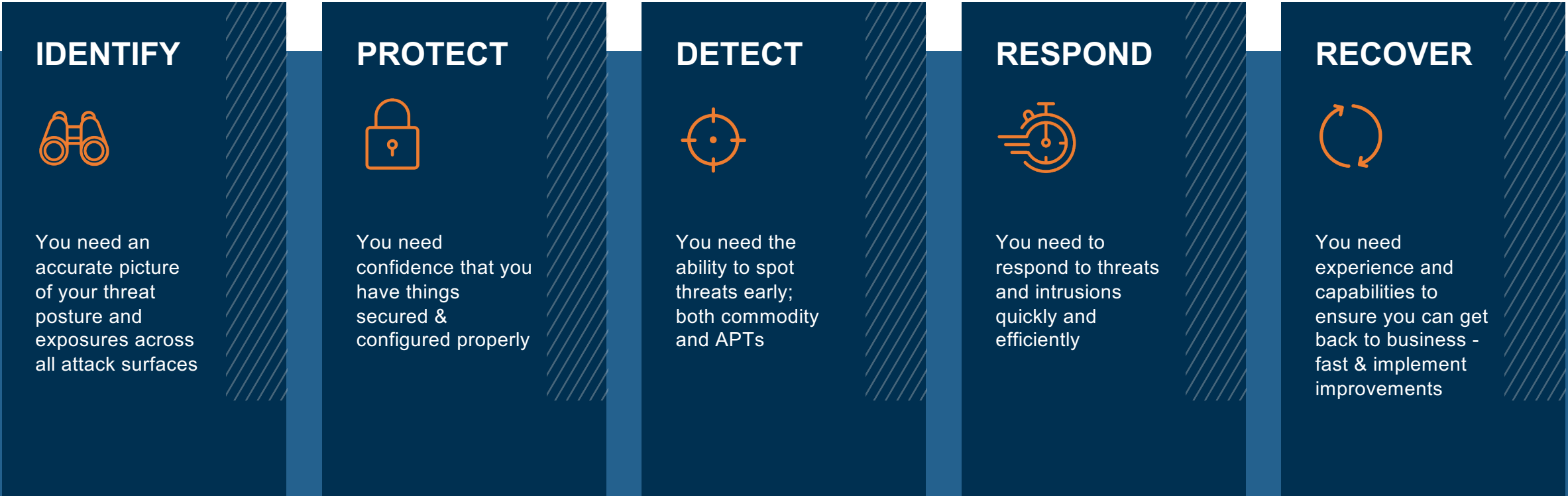
Identify employees that fall behind and determine which threat topics require reinforcement.

Transform

Achieve a culture of security and strengthen cyber resilience.

85% of data breaches result from employee actions

Security Operations Outcomes that Matter to You



Security Operations Framework



Different Approaches to ‘Security Operations’

	Security Operations framework coverage	Tech Stack & Compatibility	Visibility across attack surfaces	Pricing	Service Delivery Engagement
SIEM					
MSSP					
EDR					
MDR					
XDR					
Arctic Wolf					
	Coverage across Sec Ops framework	Use existing tech and or AW tech	Endpoint, network, Cloud, Apps, Identity and People	Unlimited & unmetered data pricing	Invented Concierge Security Team



Why Arctic Wolf MDR is a better value

Capability	Arctic Wolf MDR	Others
Network Traffic Analysis (NTA)	Included with our sensor	NIDS/HIDS only (NTA is add-on)
Asset Inventory across endpoint & network	Included	Typically “either/or”
Vulnerability Scanning	Included	May not include active monitoring & detecting vulnerability as part of core
Holistic Visibility includes network, endpoint, cloud, log sources, behavioral sources	Included	May incur additional costs
Integrations	Unlimited (true vendor neutrality)	May require specific app integrations
Engagement with CST	Unlimited, direct access	No CST (trained analysts are not equivalent); call center 800 # vs. direct access
Remote Incident Response	Unlimited	Typically capped
Security Guidance, Support, Analysis	Unlimited	Typically capped
Custom rules allowed	Unlimited	May be capped
Log ingestion & Log data volume	Unlimited	Typically capped
Log bandwidth	Unlimited	May be capped
Security Posture Reviews	Unlimited*	Typically capped
Dark web scanning & account takeover monitoring	Included	Typically requires 3 rd party

* Default is once per month, but customers can request more frequent reviews

Why Arctic Wolf?

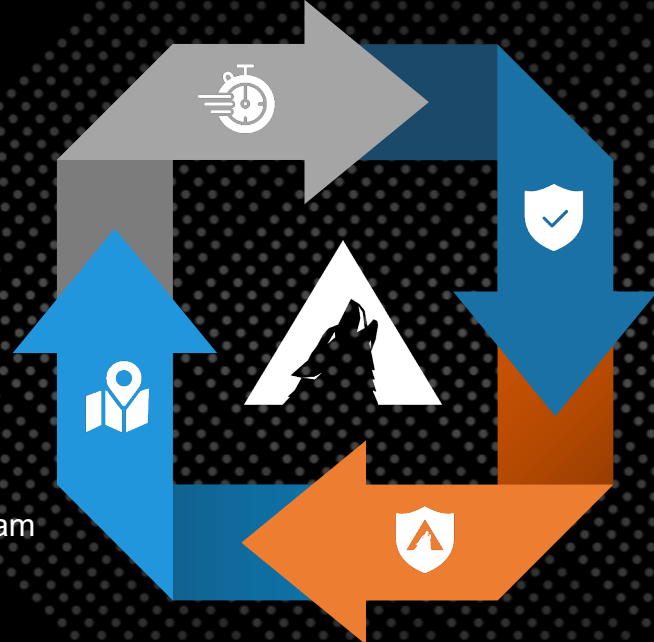
Our innovative Security Operations platform and concierge delivery model enable you to end Cyber Risk

Time to Value

- Leverage existing investments
- Add resources & expertise to your team
- Reduce noise & drive efficiency

Guidance

- Concierge Security Team
- Framework tailored to your environment
- World-class expertise on-demand



Protection

- Against commodity & advanced threats
- Attack surfaces
- All-the-time (24x7)

Resilience

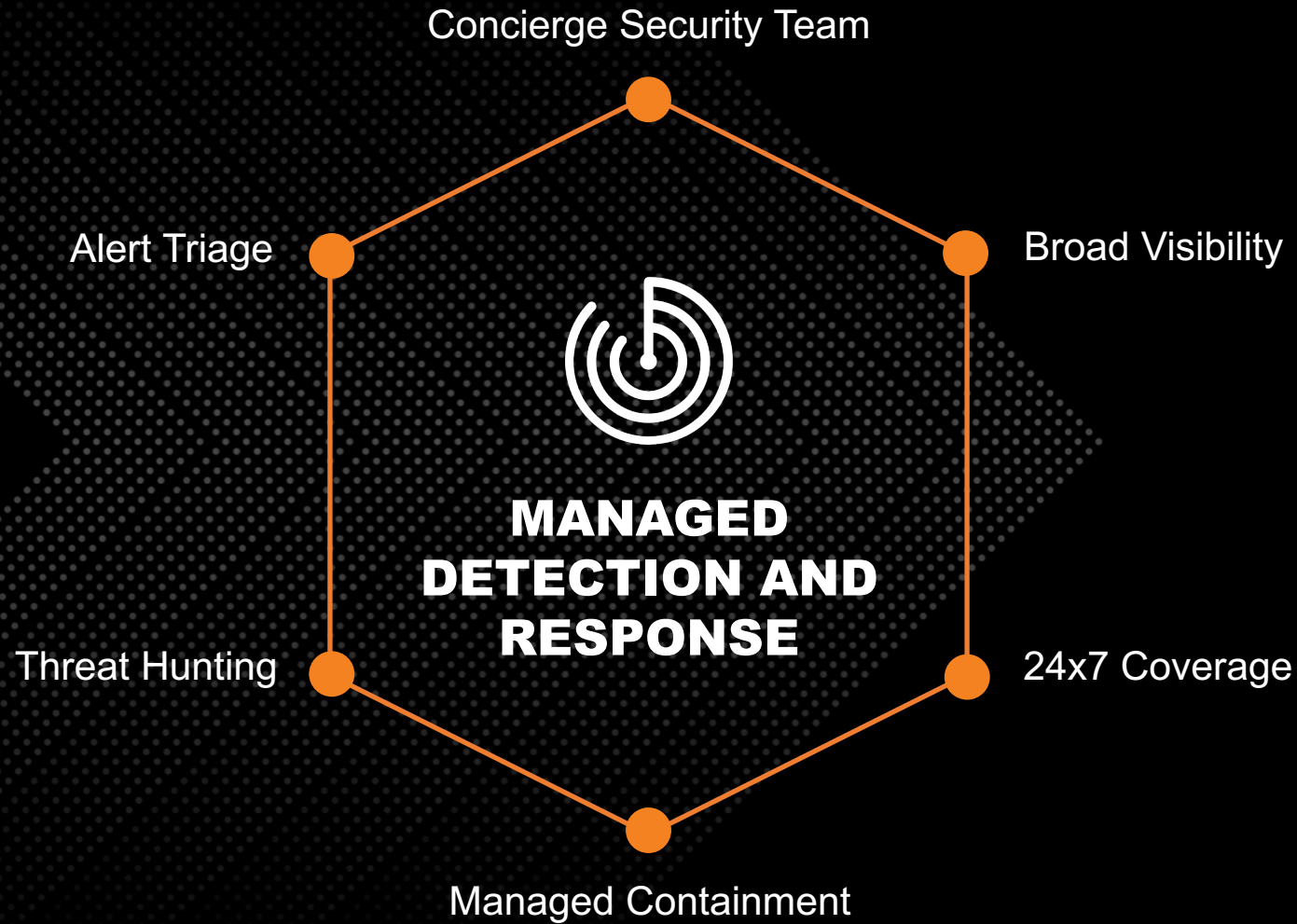
- Proactive risk mgt
- Continuous posture assessment
- Sustained compliance



Managed Detection & Response



Arctic Wolf Solutions



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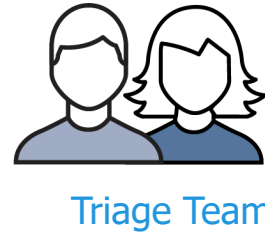
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MDR Architecture



3 Physical Sensors



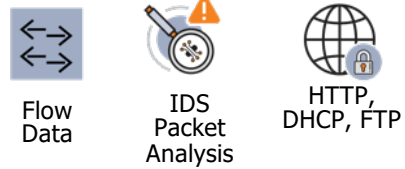
On-Premise Logs



Cloud



SaaS Integrations



Log Search



External Scanning





2,200 Users
500 Servers
10 Sensors

645M Observations
Per Week

2,765 Weekly Investigations

2-3 Incidents
(On Average)

- Users
- Cloud
- Apps
- Servers & Workloads
- Network
- Endpoints
- IoT
- Sensors
- DNS
- Firewall

- Vulnerabilities
- Tool Alerts
- Alerts
- AW Agent
- AD

- Geolocation Data
- Brute Force
- Human Error
- AV/EPP

- User Identity
- Credential Theft
- Log Analysis

- Unauthorized Access
- Abnormal Download

- Breached File
- Command & Control

- Data Exfil
- Phishing

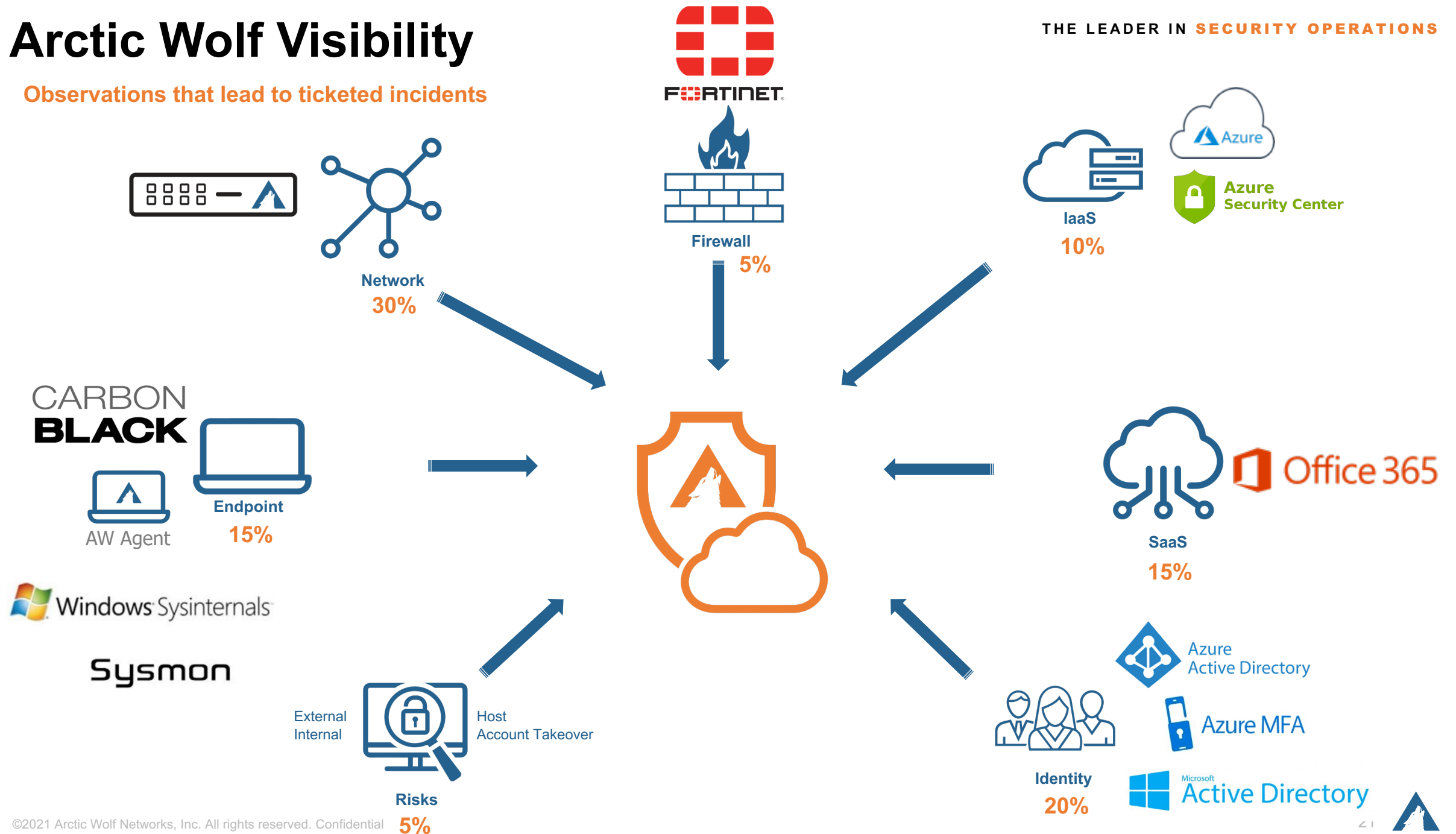
- Malware
- Ransomware

Concierge Security Team (CST)

- Reports
- Best Practices
- Managed Containment
- 24x7 Continuous Coverage
- Rapid Detection
- Improved Security
- Collaboration with experts

Arctic Wolf Visibility

Observations that lead to ticketed incidents



Arctic Wolf® Managed Detection and Response

Includes:

- Fully managed and hosted SIEM
- 24x7x365 monitoring
- Named Concierge Security Team to augment your team
- 550+ SOC experts monitoring your data
- Integrations into over 160+ security tools
- Monthly External vulnerability scanning
- Continuous Dark Web scanning for harvested credentials
- Monthly and quarterly reporting
- Ad hoc reports generated at your request
- Monthly Security Posture in Depth Reviews
- Unlimited log volume and events per second
- 90-day standard log retention
- Unlimited number of custom rules
- Managed IDS
- Containment capabilities





The AW Concierge Model



The Concierge Model



BENEFITS

- Dedicated security operations resource
- Tuning & optimization
- Deliver threat intelligence and situational awareness
- Implement a proactive Security Journey

Security is a Journey; not a destination



Concierge Security Team (CST)



Your named Concierge Security Team will work with you to build and execute a Security Journey that meets your organization's goals and objectives while identifying opportunities to strengthen your security posture over time.

EXPERTISE

Deliver execution and operational excellence with skills required to detect advanced threats and manage risks in a way that's customized to your environment.

Security Operations Experts

Hundreds of years of combined experience with cybersecurity accreditations like CISSP, HCISPP, CCSP, CISM, CRISC, GCIH

Threat Hunting

Hunting for suspicious activity across your environment

Informed Incident Insights

Filter out the noise to reveal what happened, and what to do about it

STRATEGY

Strategic security guidance drives continuous improvement that's tailored to the specific needs of your organization.

Security Posture Reviews

Evaluate the root cause of threats and get prioritized recommendations to improve posture

Named Advisors

Trusted security operations experts paired with you to deliver tailored triage and strategic guidance

Security Journey Guidance

Quarterly reviews to help you design, implement, and achieve your security vision



Arctic Wolf Triage Team



The Triage Team works 24x7x365 to investigate alerts generated by the Arctic Wolf Platform. This team provides tactical support and guidance to customers and the Concierge Security Team during security events.

COVERAGE

Work around the clock to triage critical events and deliver actionable insights when you need them the most.

24x7 Continuous Monitoring

Your environment is monitored around the clock for threats and risks

Rapid Response

Investigate and escalate critical events within thirty minutes

Real-Time Remediation

Rapidly contain incidents and get detailed guidance on remediation

On-Demand Access

To security analysts via telephone or email 24/7

INVESTIGATION

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Security Operations Experts

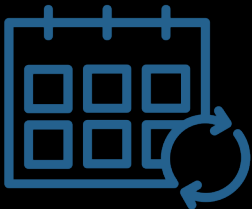
Top-talent with hundreds of years of combined experience working for Military, Government and Public and Private sector organizations.

Informed Incident Insights

- Filter out the noise to reveal what happened, and what to do about it
- Detect threats across network, endpoint, & cloud.
- Expert analysis of IOCs across entire attack surface using a purpose-built cloud platform
- Discover vulnerabilities and misconfigurations



What will the Concierge Team do for you?



Regular Meetings



Strategic security and support interactions



Periodic analysis conducted against your data



Inside knowledge about current cyber landscape and trends



Help improve your Vulnerability and Risk Management Programs



S2 = cSOC & Concierge

Whom does what?

cSOC Triage Team

- Handles Security Incidents and Investigations 24x7
- Works with ALL customers
- Outlines actionable remediation for customers / CSTs
- Reports, whitelisting, ad-hoc requests, onboarding, sensor validation
- Focuses on customer SLAs
- Linearity staffing 24x7
- Actively working with customers
- Engage CST during security incident

Concierge Security Team ('CST')

- Customer specialists
- Extension of internal team
- Focused value-added services
- Deep Dives / Meaningful Conversations, Customizations
- Strategic consulting with customers
- Security journey of customers



About our S2 team

Why does your S2 'Love' Arctic Wolf

- ❖ Low turnover in the cSOC & Concierge
- ❖ We limit customer load to ensure each S2 can respond to customer support needs.
- ❖ You are assigned a S2 team directly after onboarding
- ❖ Common Certifications held by the team
 - ❖ CompTIA Security+
 - ❖ GIAC Certified Incident Handler
 - ❖ EC-Council Certified Ethical Hacker
 - ❖ GIAC Network Forensics Analysis
 - ❖ CCNAS
 - ❖ CISSP



Why we love our JOB:

- S2 Game Night
- S2 Culture
- S2 Culture COINS
- Hackathon
- Lego Kits
- Training
- Alpha D.



Customization Focus



Core



Fundamentals



Optimized



Steady State Focus

